FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. S.237

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TO: The Honorable John E. Courson, Chairman, Senate Education Committee

FROM: Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board

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SUBJECT: Psychotropic Medication - K-12 Students

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

Senate Bill 237 would provide that a school may not deny any student access to any programs or services, because the parent of the student has refused to place the student on psychotropic medication.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

Enactment of this Bill would have no impact on the General Fund of the State or on federal and/or other funds.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

Approved by:

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